

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 1 (Currently Amended): A composition consisting essentially of an oily material, which is solid at room temperature, and  
a water-soluble organic medium;  
wherein the composition dissolves or disperses in water, and  
wherein the composition does not comprise a fragrant material.

Claim 2 (Previously Presented): The composition of claim 1, wherein said composition is in the form of a powder.

Claim 3 (Previously Presented): The composition of claim 1, wherein said water-soluble organic medium is carboxymethylcellulose.

Claim 4 (Previously Presented): The composition of claim 1, wherein the composition consists essentially of said water-soluble organic medium in a range of 10-100 parts by weight with respect to 100 parts by weight of said oily material.

Claim 5 (Previously Presented): The composition of claim 1, wherein the composition is dissolved or dispersed in water.

Claim 6 (Previously Presented): The composition of claim 5, wherein said oily material is rosin.

Claim 7 (Currently Amended): The composition of claim 5, wherein said water-soluble organic medium is carboxymethylcellulose.

Claim 8 (Previously Presented): The composition of claim 5, wherein the composition consists essentially of said water-soluble organic medium in a range of 10-100 parts by weight with respect to 100 parts by weight of said oily material.

Claim 9 (Withdrawn): A process for producing the composition of claim 1, the process comprising

mixing the oily material, in a heat melted state, with the water-soluble organic medium, in a powdery state, to form a heated mixture,  
cooling the heated mixture to form a cooled mixture, and  
pulverizing the cooled mixture to form the composition.

Claim 10. (Withdrawn): The process of claim 9, wherein the water-soluble organic medium in the powdery state is in the form of particles, and wherein the average particle diameter of the particles is 180  $\mu\text{m}$  or less.

Claim 11 (Withdrawn): A method of making the composition of claim 5, the method comprising, dissolving or dispersing, in water, a composition consisting essentially of  
an oily material, which is solid at room temperature, and  
a water-soluble organic medium.

Claim 12 (Previously Presented): The composition of claim 5, wherein the composition is dissolved in water.

Claim 13 (Previously Presented): The composition of claim 5, wherein the composition is dispersed in water.

Claim 14 (Withdrawn): The method of claim 11, wherein the method comprises the dissolving in water.

Claim 15 (Withdrawn): The method of claim 11, wherein the method comprises the dispersing in water.

Claim 16 (Previously Presented): The composition of claim 4, wherein the composition consists essentially of said water-soluble organic medium in 10 parts by weight with respect to 100 parts by weight of said oily material.

Claim 17 (Previously Presented): The composition of claim 4, wherein the composition consists essentially of said water-soluble organic medium in 100 parts by weight with respect to 100 parts by weight of said oily material.

Claim 18 (Currently Amended): The composition of claim 1, wherein the ~~water-soluble organic medium~~ oily material is wax.

Claim 19 (Currently Amended): The composition of claim 1, wherein the ~~water-soluble organic medium~~ oily material is animal fat.

Claim 20 (Currently Amended): The composition of claim 1, wherein the ~~water-soluble organic medium~~ oily material is Vaseline.